An Advisory Action was mailed February 22, 2005, indicating that the Request for Reconsideration did not place the application in condition for allowance.

Summary of Claim Amendments

By the foregoing amendments, Applicants have amended Claims 29 and 32-41 to correct minor, typographical, and/or linguistic errors. Specifically, Applicants have amended Claims 29 and 32-41 to read "[a] method according to "

Accordingly, no new matter has been added.

Rejection of Claims 28-36, 40, and 41 Under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) Over Faisant I and/or Faisant II

Claims 28-36, 40, and 41 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as purported anticipated by Faisant I and/or Faisant II. See Final Official Action mailed October 1, 2004, Pages 3-4. This rejection is respectfully traversed.

"A claim is anticipated only if each and every element as set forth in the claim is found, either expressly or inherently described, in a single prior art reference."

Verdegaal Bros. v. Union Oil Co. of California, 814 F.2d 628 (Fed. Cir. 1987); See

M.P.E.P. § 2131. Applicants respectfully assert that neither Faisant I nor Faisant II

contain each and every element of Claims 28-36, 40, and 41, thereby precluding anticipation. In the alternative, Applicants respectfully assert that neither Faisant I

nor Faisant II is the work of "another" pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 102(e).